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1. YOU MAY INFORM THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT THAT THE UNITED
STATES HAS NO OBJECTION TO THE THREE FOOD AID PROGRAMS
OUTLINED IN REFTELS. HOWEVER, IN THE CASE OF BENIN
OUR CALCULATIONS, BASED ON INTERNATIONAL WHEAT COUNCIL(IWC)
DATA THROUGH FY 1976, INDICATE THAT THE UMR SHOULD BE
14,200 METRIC TONS VICE 13,100 . IN THE CASE OF
MOZAMBIQUE, IWC DATA INDICATE THAT ITS UMR SHOULD BE

82,400 METRIC TONS RATHER THAN ZERO. WE WOULD APPRECIATE
AN EXPLANATION AS TO WHY NO UMR WAS INCLUDED FOR MOZAMBIQUE.

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PLEASE SUGGEST TO THE BELGIAN GOVERNMENT THAT IT RECONSIDER

ITS UMR LEVEL IN THESE TWO CASES. KISSINGER

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